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Sun Ai Raillard et al.

Application No.: 09/502,283

Filed: February 11, 2000

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Pursuant to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" dated April 12, 2000, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Executed Declaration
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- 3) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts
- 4) Communication regarding request to furnish Sequence Listing
- 5) Request for corrected filing receipt
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- 7) Transmittal Sheet
- 8) Receipt indication postcard

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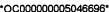
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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

  Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$996.
  - \$918 for 51 total claims over 20.
  - \$78 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- · The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):
  - This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c).
  - A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required under 37 CFR 1.821(e).

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